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IN HONOR OF THE NINTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE LIBYAN REVOLUTION WHICH WILL BE CELEBRATED SEPTEMBER 1, LOCAL MEDIA ANNOUNCED AUGUST 30 THAT CIVILIAN AND MILITARY PRISONERS HAVE HAD THEIR PRISON TERMS REDUCED BY ONE FOURTH. PRISONERS SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT HAVE HAD THEIR TERMS CHANGED TO FIFTEEN YEARS IN JAIL. DECISION WAS MADE BY THE GENERAL SECRETARIAT OF THE GENERAL PEOPLE'S CONGRESS (QADHAFI, JALUD, AND THREE OTHER OFFICERS) AND IS BELIEVED TO BE THE FIRST GENERAL COMMUTATION SINCE THE DAYS OF KING IDRIS. AMONG THOSE APPARENTLY INCLUDED IN THIS RULING ARE THE NUMEROUS PARTICIPANTS ARRESTED DURING ANTI-GOVERNMENT DEMONSTRATIONS AT THE UNIVERSITIES IN TRIPOLI AND BENGHAZI IN APRIL 1975.
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